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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD:

FROM : Chief, Fiscal Division

SUBJECT : Retired Federal Employees Health Benefits Program

REFERENCE: Federal Register dated March 11, 1961

1. Under definitions "Retirement Office" means any office responsible for the administering of a retirement system for civilian employees of the government, which does not include the Bureau of Employees Compensation. The Civil Service Commission is the retirement office for all employees of this Agency, under the Civil Service Retirement System.

2. Retirement Offices are responsible in accordance with regulations issued by the Commission for withholding from the salary of each retired employee within the jurisdiction and the Retirement Office, who elects to subscribe to the uniform plan for his share of the cost, for forwarding the amount withheld to the Retired Federal Employees Health Benefit Fund, and for reporting to the Commission amounts required for government contributions for these retired employees.

3. Retirement Offices are responsible in accordance with regulations issued by the Commission for reporting to the Commission amounts required for government contributions to retired employees within the jurisdiction of the Retirement Office, who have elected to receive a government contribution toward the cost of a private Health Benefits Plan and for paying the government contributions to these employees.

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